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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Amendment in response to Office Action dated June 3, 2004
2. Post card for return receipt

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sirs:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 3, 2004. It is believed that the amendment places the claims in better condition for allowance.

The amendments to the claims are found on page 2 of this response.

The Remarks are found on page 4 of this response.